

Anthropologists and Archeologists (19-3091)

Occupation description: Study the origin, development, and behavior of human beings. May study the way of life, language, or physical characteristics of people in various parts of the world. May engage in systematic recovery and examination of material evidence, such as tools or pottery remaining from past human cultures, in order to determine the history, customs, and living habits of earlier civilizations.

Employment and Job Openings

	Average employment			Average annual openings		
	2010 estimate	2020 projection	Percent change	Growth	Replacement	Total
Alaska	69	75	8.7	1	2	2
United States	6,100	7,400	21.3	120	260	380

Job outlook

Alaska: Alaska's employment growth is low with low employment opportunities. [Read more.](#)

2013 Wages ?

	Mean Wage and 95% Confidence Interval			Wage by Percentile		
	Low	Mean	High	10th	Median	90th
United States	n/a	29.53	n/a	16.50	28.06	44.58
Alaska	33.38	35.03	36.68	24.01	34.16	47.04
Anchorage/Mat-Su Area (MSA)	34.32	36.54	38.76	23.43	34.91	50.13

Labor Force Indicators

2012 Worker Characteristics

Total workers	Nonresident workers	Percent nonresident	Percent age 45 plus	Percent age 50 plus
79	25	31.6	26.8	21.4

2012 Potential Supply

Qualified but working in another occupation	16
Currently employed in a lower paid occupation	6
UI claimants previously working in occupation	4

2012 ALEXsys Employment Data

Number of registrants	123
Number of job position postings	15
Ratio of registrants to job position postings	8.2

Typical Entry-level Education, Experience, and/or On-the-job Training

Education: Master's degree

Work experience: None

On-the-job training: None

Training Resources

	Degree
University of Alaska Anchorage	
Anthropology	BA
Anthropology	BS
Anthropology	MA

	Degree
University of Alaska Fairbanks	
Anthropology	BA
Anthropology	BS
Anthropology	MA
Anthropology	PHD

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